## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

| TRISTAR INVESTORS, INC.,  | §                     |
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|   | §                     |
| Plaintiff,  | §                     |
|   | §                     |
| v.  | <b>§</b><br><b>§</b>  |
|   |                       |
| AMERICAN TOWER CORPORATION,   | §                     |
| AMERICAN TOWERS LLC, AMERICAN   | §                     |
| TOWERS INC., AMERICAN TOWER   | §                     |
| GUARANTOR SUB, LLC, AMERICAN  | §                     |
| TOWER HOLDINGS SUB, LLC,  | §                     |
| AMERICAN TOWER ASSET SUB, LLC,  | §                     |
| AMERICAN TOWER SUB II, LLC,   | §                     |
| AMERICAN TOWER MANAGEMENT,  | §                     |
| LLC, AMERICAN TOWER L.P., and   | §                     |
| SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC,  | § No. 3:12-cv-0499-M  |
|   | §                     |
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| Defendants.   | 8<br>8                |
| Defendants.   | §                     |
| Defendants.   | \$<br>_\$             |
|   | §                     |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC,  | \$<br>_\$<br>\$<br>\$ |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC, SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC  | \$<br>_\$<br>\$<br>\$ |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC,  | \$                    |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC,<br>SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC<br>and AMERICAN TOWERS, LLC,                  |                       |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC, SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC  |                       |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC,<br>SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC<br>and AMERICAN TOWERS, LLC,                  |                       |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC, SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC and AMERICAN TOWERS, LLC, Counter-Plaintiffs,    |                       |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC, SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC and AMERICAN TOWERS, LLC, Counter-Plaintiffs, v. |                       |
| AMERICAN TOWER, LLC, SPECTRASITE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC and AMERICAN TOWERS, LLC, Counter-Plaintiffs,    |                       |

## **ORDER**

Before the Court is the 12(b)(6) Motion to Dismiss Count VII of Tristar's First Amended Complaint [Docket Entry #21], filed by Defendants American Tower Corporation, American Towers, LLC, American Tower, LLC, American Towers, Inc., American Tower Guarantor Sub,

LLC, American Tower Holding Sub, LLC, American Tower Asset Sub, LLC, American Tower Asset Sub II, LLC, American Tower Management, LLC, American Tower L.P., and SpectraSite Communications, LLC (collectively, "American Tower"). The Motion is **DENIED**. American Tower may reassert the grounds asserted in a Motion for Summary Judgment, after the factual record is further developed.

SO ORDERED.

January 11, 2013.

LINITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS